



Fire Incident Mapping Tools (FIMT) 2016 Update

Due to changes in the National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG) standards, updates are required to meet those standards. This is a temporary fix. Hopefully The US Forest Service National Interagency Fire Center (NIFC) will release a full release soon.

Instructions:

- Download the 2016_Update.zip file.
- Extract the files to a known location.
- Open a Windows Explorer window and navigate to the location to the extracted zip files.
- Open a second Windows Explorer window. You will navigate to a location that is has several hidden folders (by default). This will be to the location of all ESRI Add-Ins and particularly your current FIMT installation.
- There are two unknowns in the path. Your Windows user name and the version of the GIS software.

For ArcGIS 10.2 use the following path (remember to replace <user> with your Windows user id):

C:\Users\<user>\AppData\Local\ESRI\Desktop10.2\AssemblyCache\{78ED6FD9-65B7-4D69-9139-9C2826BCFC43}\Data

For ArcGIS 10.3 use the following path

C:\Users\<user>\AppData\Local\ESRI\Desktop10.3\AssemblyCache\{78ED6FD9-65B7-4D69-9139-9C2826BCFC43}\Data

Note: If this gives an error, leave off the folder within the brackets and go as far as AssemblyCache. Then you can manually navigate to each folder to be sure you are in the right directory structure. The only folder within the globally unique id folder name will be “Data”,

- Create a new folder and call it “Archive”.
- Move the following folders into the folder called Archive:
 - Layers
 - Styles
 - Templates
- Also move FIMT_Template.mdb file into the Archive folder.



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- Copy all of the files that are in the FIMT 2016 Update into the this folder – this is replacing the files you just placed in the archive folder.
- Update is complete.

You can test the update by starting a new FIMT incident in ArcMap and creating a new FirePoint and trying to choose Medivac from the domain list. It should not be there any longer and there is now a Unimproved Landing Site as a choice.

The update made all of the following changes:

- Replaced the FIMT_Template geodatabase
- Replaced the FIMT styles and included the GSTOP_2016.style
- Replaced the Layer files
- Updated all map templates , that have graphic legends, to include the new symbol